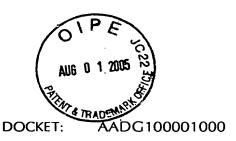
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**INVENTOR:** David J. Dedic **EXAMINER: SERIAL NO.:** 10/755,733 **ART UNIT:** 2875 **FILING DATE:** January 12, 2004 DATE: July 28, 2005 FOR: Emergency Exit Path Lighting System with Hollow Doorframe for **Implementing** Electroluminescent Technology

## **STATUS INQUIRY REQUEST**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully inquires about the status of the subject application. To date, no office action has been received since the filing of the application on January 12, 2004. Upon checking the July 26, 2005, Volume 1296 Number 4 of the Electronic Official Gazette for Patents, we find that the average filing date of applications receiving a first office action in the last three months is February 5, 2004.

A duplicate copy of this request is enclosed.

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